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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF : Michael J. Sullivan *26/E*  
FOR : **IMPROVED MULTI-LAYER**  
**GOLF BALL** *attchm.*  
SERIAL NO. : 08/870,585 ✓  
FILED : June 6, 1997  
GROUP ART UNIT : 3711  
EXAMINER : M. Graham  
LAST OFFICE ACTION : December 7, 1999  
ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. : SLD 2 0035-3-3-1  
P-3724-2-F1



Cleveland, Ohio 44114-2518  
April 3, 2000

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 7, 1999, please  
amend the present application as follows.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please amend claim 2 as follows:

2. (Twice Amended) A golf ball according to claim 1, wherein the  
inner cover layer has a thickness of about 0.100 to about 0.010 inches and the  
outer cover layer has a thickness of about 0.010 to about [0.70] 0.070 inches, the  
golf ball having the properties required by the U.S.G.A. and having an overall  
diameter of 1.680 inches or more.

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